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1		TRANSMITTAL LETTER DESIGNATED/ELECT								
		CONCERNING A FILI	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (One 41, 62 35 FF 1.56 Unassigned							
		ATIONAL APPLICATION NO. J00/00982	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 08/17/2000	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 08/19/1999						
	TITLE OF INVENTION DRUG FOR TREATING FRACTURES EXPRESS MAIL NUMBER									
	APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US LITTLE, DAVID G.									
	Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:									
) 	1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
	2. 🔲	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.								
	3. 🛛	This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.								
	4. 🔲	The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).								
	5. 🔼	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))) a. is transmitted hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office(RO/US)								
5	6. 🔲		of the International Application as filed (3	nal Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).						
i'u Ci		 a. is attached hereto. b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 								
	7. 🔀	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made.								
	8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).									
3	9. 🔲	An oath or declaration of the inve	entor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).							
	10.	An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).								
ľU	Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:									
	11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.									
	12. 🔲	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.								
	13. 🛚	A FIRST preliminary amendment.								
	14. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.									
	15. A substitute specification.									
	16. 🗌	16. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.								
	17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.									
	18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									
	19. 🔲	A second copy of the English lan	guage translation of the international appl	ication under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						

20. 🛛 Other items or information: International Preliminary Examination Report with Amended Pages and Postcard

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d. Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.								
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.								
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